

# **USB 2-to-2 Share Switch Station**

## **User's Manual**

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## SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

Always read the safety instructions carefully:

- Keep this User's Manual for future reference
- Keep this equipment away from humidity
- If any of the following situation arises, get the equipment checked by a service technician:
  - The equipment has been exposed to moisture.
  - The equipment has been dropped and damaged.
  - The equipment has obvious sign of breakage.
  - The equipment has not been working well or you cannot get it to work according to the User's Manual.

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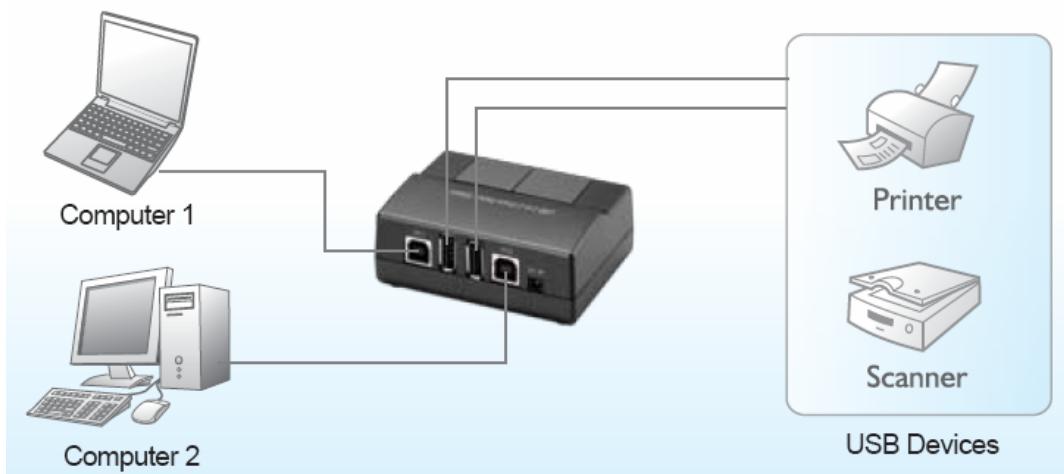
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# 1. Introduction

The USB 2.0 share switch station allows you to share USB devices among multiple computers. Great for setups that require multiple computers sharing a USB Cable Modem, USB printer, scanner, and/or other USB peripherals. The peripheral can be assigned to a computer either manually or with software. Unique advanced management is available through a Windows-based application that can limit or extend the sharing capabilities between multiple computers. From experience switching cables on computers can be not only confusing but some what of mess. The USB Share Switch eliminates the cumbersome mess by giving you the opportunity to utilize its functionality.

This USB 2-to-2 Share Switch Station is designed to sharing USB Devices between Two Computers. It will increase the flexibility and cost efficiency of your device sharing. With a built-in 2 Port Hub, you can share your printer, scanner, central storage and etc... With plug-and-play compatibility, it makes setup a snap.



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## Features

- 2 PCs share two USB devices.
- Built-in 2-port USB Switch.
- Software and manual selectable connection
- Using intelligent software to switch USB device ports and easy operation
- Simple button operation.
- Easy to share other expensive USB peripherals like USB peripherals like USB docking station, USB Zip drive, USB card reader, USB to USB Bridge, USB to Ethernet or other USB adapters.

## Package Contents

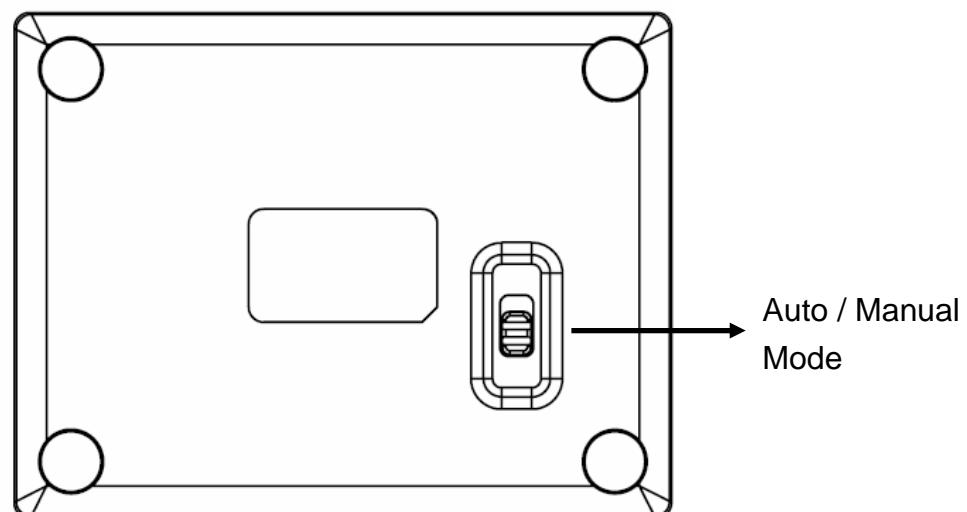
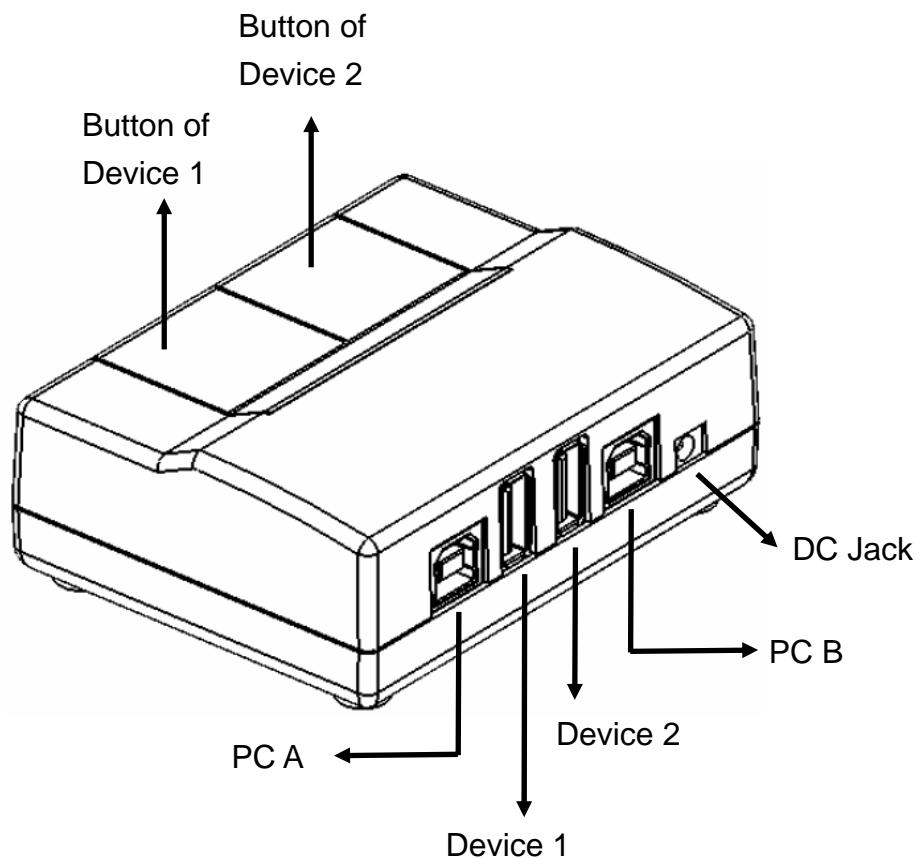
- USB 2-to-2 Share Switch Station x1
- Power Adapter x1
- USB Type B to A Cable X2
- CD (Driver and User's Manual) x1
- Quick Installation Guide x1
- Device Sticker x1

## System Requirements

- Windows® XP SP2, Vista™ 32-bit

## 2. Installation

### Hard Connection



- Turn up to enter manual mode
- Turn down to enter auto mode

## Device Sticker

You may use the provided stickers to stick on your device button. On the other hand, we also put some blank stickers for you to write down the name of device that you usually use.



Item

Description



Webcam



Hard Disk



Digital Camera



Mouse



Printer



Keyboard



Scanner



Flash Drive

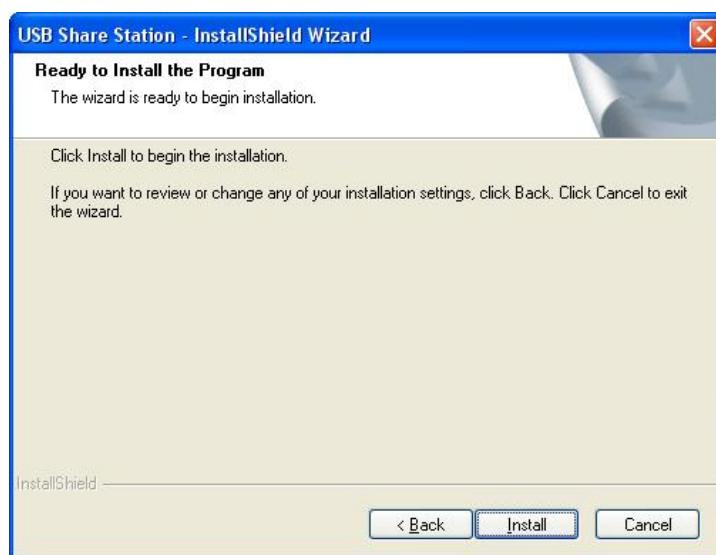
## On Windows XP / Vista

**Caution: DO NOT** connect the product to your computer before installing the driver on the provide CD.

1. Insert the provided CD into your disc drive and the driver will be executed automatically. If it doesn't work, you can locate and double-click on the **Setup.exe** file in the **Driver** folder to launch the setup program.
2. Click on **Next** to continue the installation.

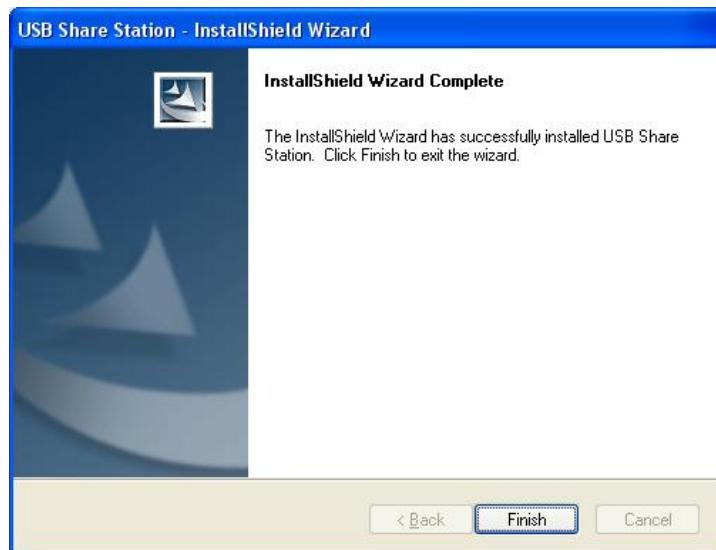


3. Click on **Install** to continue the installation.



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4. When the installation is done, please click on **Finish** to complete it.



5. Please install the driver at another computer. The procedures will be the same as the above-mentioned.

6. Please connect two computers to share switch by USB cables. Then you will find the green icon in the notification area. Please right-click on it and select **Open** to USB Share Station. Now you can connect your devices, such as printer, scanner or flash drive to your share switch.



\*Actual strings depend on your operation system. These screen shots are from Windows XP and might vary slightly for each operation system.

### 3. Using the USB 2-to-2 Share Switch Station

#### Auto / Manual Mode

- Auto Mode :

When one of two computers disconnected to share switch station, all devices will be shifted to another computer automatically.

- Manual Mode :

When one of two computers disconnected to share switch station, all devices won't shifted automatically. You may switch the device manually by clicking on the switching buttons.

#### Device Switch

- Hot Key

Please double-press on Number Lock button on your keyboard when you exchange the use of device.

- Button

Please press the button of device on the share switch station when you exchange the use of device.

- USB Share Station Interface

Please double-click on the label of device on the screen of USB share Station. For an example: If you want to use the USB Mass Storage Device (Device 2) on computer 2, you may switch it from computer 1 to computer 2 first. Please double-click on number 2 of computer 2 and wait for several seconds, you can use this device on computer 1.

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## Printer Sharing

No matter what kind of mode you operate, you may switch the function of printer unrestrictedly between two computers and use the printer at both of them.

# 4. Uninstalling the Driver

## USB Share Switch Station

If you don't install the driver before you use the share switch station, then you won't find the icon of share switch station in the notification and also can't control the USB share switch station by dashboard.

## Safely Remove Control

Operation system are not able to execute the safe remove control if user didn't install the driver of Share Switch.

Under this situation, device switching may interrupted the operation between the PC and device. On the same time, operation system may popup the warning message to illustrate the termination all of transferring actions.

# 5. Specifications

Item	Description
USB	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>■ Upstream port x 2 (USB Type-B)</li><li>■ Downstream USB port x 2 (USB Type-A )</li><li>■ Compliance : USB1.1 &amp; USB 2.0</li></ul>
Power Mode	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>■ Input : AC 100~240V</li><li>■ Output : DC 5V/1A</li><li>■ Self Power</li></ul>
Operation System Support	Windows XP and Vista
User Interface	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>■ Hot key function</li><li>■ Auto mode</li><li>■ Safe remove control</li><li>■ Print sharing</li><li>■ Button : Any USB device can be switched between two computers.</li></ul>
Working Environment:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>■ Operation temperature: 10 ~ 40 °C</li><li>■ Storage temperature: -10 ~ 80 °C</li></ul>
Dimensions	Size (Lx W x H) : 87 x 67 x 31 mm
Weights	125 g
Housing	Plastic
Certification	CE, FCC

Specifications are subject to change without further notice

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# 6. Regulatory Compliance

## FCC Conditions

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with Part 15 Class B of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

- (1) This device may not cause harmful interference
- (2) This device must accept any interference received and include interference that may cause undesired operation.

## CE

This equipment is in compliance with the requirements of the following regulations: EN 55 022: EMC Directive 2004/108/EC (EN55022/EN55024)

## WEEE Information

For EU (European Union) member users:

According to the WEEE (Waste electrical and electronic equipment) Directive, do not dispose of this product as household waste or commercial waste. Waste electrical and electronic equipment should be appropriately collected and recycled as required by practices established for your country. For information on recycling of this product, please contact your local authorities, your household waste disposal service or the shop where you purchased the product.

